



Tuesday 9th September 2014 • 5.30pm • 9 St John Street, Manchester

Complex Quantum Claims in Fatal Accidents

Speakers: Brian McCluggage, Matthew Snarr & John Frenkel (Accountancy Expert)

CPD Accreditation: 2 hours¹

“...a departure from the ordinary principles of assessment in English law, which can fairly be described as anomalous.”

Lord Sumption in *Cox v Ergo Versicherung AG* (2014)

In this seminar, experienced specialist counsel who regularly conduct complex fatal cases and one of the country's most highly regarded forensic accountants join forces to assist practitioners with bridging the gap between textbook knowledge and developed niche litigation techniques.

This talk is aimed at the more complicated aspects of fatal accident claims especially proving high value losses. It will be suitable for fee earners undertaking multi-track work, particularly high value and complex claims.

The aim of the seminar is as follows:

- (i) To engage in an analysis of 4 interesting case studies which cover complicated quantum scenarios and which are designed to encourage the audience to engage their own critical legal reasoning skills.
- (ii) Specific consideration of:
 - Proving loss of profit claims
 - Addressing the multiplier conundrum
 - Unlocking the value of services claims
 - Understanding the legal importance of the date of dependency
 - Operation of the rule against double recovery
 - Proving losses to family businesses.
- (iii) Consideration of the forensic accounting issues of quantum losses which require expert accountancy evidence including matters of pension loss, loss of business profit, etc.

¹ Approval pending confirmation by regulatory bodies.



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Complex Quantum Claims in Fatal Accidents: The Speakers



JOHN FRENKEL

John Frenkel qualified as a chartered accountant with one of the Big Four in 1978. He has always focussed on forensic accountancy both after he established Frenkel Topping in 1980 and also after he set up Frenkels Forensics | Chartered Accountants in 2001.

John has expertise across all areas of forensic accountancy and is a regular speaker at forensic accountancy seminars and contributes to the professional press. He has co-authored a book on personal injury with two leading QCs. John has worked on over 4,000 cases in his career.



BRIAN McCLUGGAGE

Call: 1995. Mr. McCluggage's practice comprises high value or complex personal injury work plus insurance related disputes arising both from personal injury cases and directly from insurance contracts, including professional indemnity. He has enjoyed a niche practice in Fatal Accidents Act cases for some 10 years. Case quantum usually range from £100K to £2million, but he engages in fatal cases of all values because of their special interest.



MATTHEW SNARR

Call: 2001. Matthew Snarr's instructions are predominately characterised by contentious high value proceedings involving significant disputes of fact or complex opposing expert evidence. Matthew is invariably instructed in Multi-Track and High Court proceedings. He is used to dealing with cases between £500,000 to in excess of £1 million.

REGISTRATION - There is a £15.00 fee for attending this seminar. All profit from the seminar is donated to 9 St John Street's charity, '9 Lives' which is a community based charity working in association with Forever Manchester.

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